

## BATHING BEACH OPENS IN DROUGHT

Only One Pool Ready, and  
Lockers Not Fully  
Equipped.

Commissioner West Angry  
at Conditions Due to  
Old Piping.

The new bathing beach is open at last. At least, one-half of it is in operation. Superintendent Stevens gave the word this afternoon at 1 o'clock, and with a wild shout of delight a large representation of Washington's youthful population made the initial plunge into what was once the Government fish ponds on the west side of the Washington Monument.

Only the pond that is to be open to the general public without charge was in condition to be opened today. All the lockers of this portion of the beach are not completed, and it was decided to allow the bathers to use without cost the lockers for which a small charge is to be made when the beach is in full operation.

Boys began to gather at the beach by 10 o'clock this morning, and from that time until the magic word "plunge" was given the throng was augmented every minute.

### Water Famine at Pool.

When Commissioner West went down to the beach this morning to inspect it he found a two-inch pipe bravely spouting water into the boys' and men's pools, which is about half an acre in area, and that this water was running out through two trenches into the other pools, with the result that there was hardly enough water for even a small dog to swim in.

Thereupon the Commissioner became angry. He promised that young Washington might take its first dip in the new bathing pool today, and when he arrived on the scene, expecting to find a happy throng of urchins gleefully splashing away, he found a fair-sized spring house puddle and some twenty disconsolate youngsters looking on and wondering when their fun was to begin.

He immediately sized up the situation and issued orders to dam up the trenches that were allowing the water pool to flow into the others, and that the lockers be opened for the use of those who desired to take advantage of what water there was.

### Feed Pipes Leaky.

The circumstances connected with the preparation of the bathing beach have been very unsatisfactory and disappointing to the officials of the District government who have had the construction of the pool in charge. W. X. Stevens, who has charge of the beach, said this morning that the pipes are so leaky that it is almost impossible to get water into the pools.

To provide properly for the supply of water for the pools, said he, it will be necessary to install a whole new system of water pipes, which, of course, cannot be done this season. The water pipe system here is an old one and entirely inadequate for a bathing beach.

Then, again, the work on the bath houses has been poorly done, and is of such flimsy character that we have found no end of trouble in adjusting the springs to the lockers. My assistants and I have been working night and day all day Sunday in order to have the bathers ready for the season. The unsatisfactory character of the old pipes and the scant allowance of money given by Congress to the beach, has made it impossible for us to present better conditions than we have today.

### Should Have Been Delayed.

"I regret very much that the time of opening the beach was set for this summer. If it had been allowed to go over until next year, it would have been possible to have things in very much better shape, and the opening, even though delayed a year, would have been then under circumstances which would need no apology. As it is, bathers will have to be content with the conditions as they find them for the present."

The opening of the beach was announced for the 4th of July, but has been postponed from time to time for one cause or another until today. Now, although the beach has been thrown open to the public, the pools are only half full of water, and only a part of the lockers are ready for use.

## FALLS FROM CAR FRIDAY AND DIES SUNDAY NIGHT

Injured by falling from a street car at Eleventh and Harvard streets, Friday afternoon, Mrs. Annie P. McCallum, sixty-six years old, of 735 Girard street northwest, died last night in the Emergency Hospital. After the accident Friday Mrs. McCallum walked to a nearby drug store and was assisted to her home by a friend. A physician was summoned and it was found that she had sustained a serious injury to her hip. Internal injuries also resulted from the bruise.

It was decided yesterday that an operation was necessary. She was taken to the hospital at 7 o'clock and died two hours later, having failed to rally from the surgeon's knife.

Mrs. McCallum was the wife of Daniel McCallum, an employee of the Weather Bureau. Besides her husband she is survived by three sons. She was born in Lankenshine, Pa., and had lived most of her life in this country.

## RABBI NOT YET CHOSEN BY ADATH-ISRAEL BOARD

"The statement that the formal election of Rabbi Libowitz to succeed former Rabbi Julius T. Loeb, as the head of the new Adath-Israel Synagogue, is entirely erroneous, and cannot see how the mistake was made," said Gustave Oppenheimer, the financial secretary of the temple, yesterday.

According to Mr. Oppenheimer, Rabbi Libowitz was merely appointed by the board of managers of the temple to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rabbi Loeb, who has accepted a charge in Atlanta, Ga., over the fall Jewish holidays, and until the new synagogue is completed, which will probably be some time in October.

## ADMINISTRATION LETTERS FOR PETERS' BROTHER

An application for letters of administration on the estate of Benjamin F. Peters, late chief clerk of the Navy Department, who died August 14, 1907, was granted today by order of Justice Stafford to Thomas S. Peters, a brother. It is stated in the petition that Mr. Peters died intestate and without descendants. His next of kin are Thomas S. Peters, Charles H. Peters, William H. Peters, and Mary P. Young, all residents of Pennsylvania.

The estate consists of two houses valued at \$5,000, 140 C street southeast and 304 Third street southeast, personal property amounting to \$700, and a policy of \$3,000 life insurance in the P-wal Arcanum.

## Draper Quarrel Believed Due To Social Aims



MRS. WILLIAM F. DRAPER.  
Whose Social Aspirations Are Said to Have Caused Misunderstanding in Family.

## Women of Family All Desired to Lead as Hostess.

Washington society is greatly interested in the reported rupture between two branches of the house of Draper, due to the business differences between Gen. William F. Draper, of Washington, and Hopedale, Mass., and Lieut. Gov. Eben S. Draper, of Hopedale.

When General Draper withdrew a few weeks ago as president of the great Draper Company, at Hopedale, one of the largest corporations in the country, it caused some surprise, but as he gave no reason, the matter soon passed out of the minds of those who knew of it.

### Friction in Families?

Recent developments have shown that there was great friction between the two brothers and their families which induced that resignation and the final disruption of relations between them. It is a well known fact that, while the families of General Draper and his brother, George, were naturally intimate, being doubly related, the families of the general and his other brother, Eben, were never on pleasant terms.

Many of the old friends of the families attribute the entire trouble to the women and their social aspirations, all wanting to be the leading hostess of the Draper family, which place Mrs. William F. claims as her own.

### Married Kentucky Sisters.

Gen. William F. Draper and his brother, George C. Draper, married sisters, the former marrying Miss Susan Preston, of Kentucky, and the latter, Miss Jessie Preston, whom he met at his brother's wedding. They are the daughters of the late General Preston, who was a prominent Representative in Congress at one time, and served afterward as American minister to Spain. The Misses Preston were well versed in the manners and customs of Washington society, where Mrs. William F. Draper was destined to shine as a leading light. She married General Draper when he was Representative in Congress, and went with him to Rome when he was appointed American ambassador to Italy. It was there that she made herself famous, and utilized a generous proportion of the Draper millions to host end. Her gowns and jewels rivaled those of the Queen, and her entertainments were second to none in the city. Her guests were of royal, for-giveness and pomp. Her lace, too, were in keeping with the jewels and the gowns, and she purchased many of the famous Queen Isabella laces, which are still among her most valuable possessions.

### Important Washington Hostess.

Mrs. William F. Draper is one of the most important of the Washington hostesses during the season. Her guests are from among the most exclusive and distinguished men and women in Washington official and resident society. The fancy dress ball which she has given every spring for her little daughter Marguerite, now a girl of fifteen, is one of the most brilliant functions of our winter season. It is especially for children, and all the children in the most exclusive circles are invited, but there are always also a large number of grown-ups asked, the entertainment of whom, although a side issue, is always elaborate, and invitations for which are always much prized. Mrs. Draper draws about her the most distinguished foreigners. She is an accomplished

## Faint Spells

are very often attributed to biliousness, of the heart, and the fainting spells, together with all other heart troubles, will disappear.

Faint spells are often accompanied by biliousness, indigestion, and shortness of breath, asthmatic breathing, oppressed feeling in chest, weak or hungry spells, which are all early symptoms of heart weakness.

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The first bottle will benefit, if not the druggist will return your money.

## Women of Family All Desired to Lead as Hostess.

Linguist and has lived abroad so much of her time that foreigners are quite at home with her.

The Draper home, at the corner of Connecticut avenue and K street, is one of the most luxurious residences in Washington. The hall room is filled with rare treasures. The house was formerly the home of the Washington McLeans, parents of John R. McLean, and of Mrs. Dewey, and it was in this house that the wedding breakfast of the Admiral of the Navy and Mrs. Dewey was served.

Previous to that, it had served as the Russian Embassy. General and Mrs. Draper added to and improved the house considerably after they purchased it, making the first floor suite of rooms, which ends with the ballroom, a conspicuously handsome suite.

## Strikers Secure Data Showing Men at Work

The second week of the telegraphers' strike here begun today, with both sides presenting practically the same front. The strikers claim that their ranks are solid and that no desertions have occurred, while the companies allege that they are enabled to handle all business entrusted to headquarters.

The telegraphers' executive committee have begun to collect data showing just how badly the offices here are crippled. On the bulletin board today is shown a postal from a Pittsburgh patron of one of the companies, referring to the receipt of a message in that city which was sent by the writer's brother in Washington Saturday at 6 o'clock. The postal reads:

"My telegram was received at 11:30 on Monday, four hours after I had received your letter sent the usual way. I was awfully worried about you until I received your letter."

Vice President Beattie exhibited the postal to a Times reporter and said: "This indicates how they are handling business. The postal was sent to us this morning by a Washington citizen, who is indignant at the delay in his message."

"I would be glad to have The Times make an important announcement for us," said Mr. Beattie, "and that is that, considering the fact that we have been approached several times by people who were unable to get death messages through without unreasonable delay, the strikers have arranged to send all death and sick messages to absent members of a family, on a leased wire, and if brought to strike headquarters we will see that the message is dispatched promptly. We have been appealed to for an arrangement of this kind, and as it is not the desire of the Washington telegraphers to inconvenience the public in cases of this kind, we will handle death messages over a leased wire and assure prompt action."

A routing meeting of Local No. 24 was held yesterday afternoon at Typographical temple, the executive committee of the body being in session in an adjoining room.

At the mass meeting stirring speeches were made by Sam de Nedrey, secretary of the Central Labor Union; Sam

Colored Woman Found Dead.

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## TUBERCULOSIS TO BE WIPED OUT

American Physician Will  
Submit Ideas to Vienna  
Congress.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 19.—That tuberculosis will be wiped out in America within the next fifteen years as a result of efforts that will be made this coming year, is foreshadowed by Dr. Lawrence F. Flick, the foremost expert upon the disease, who will take the first step in the new movement when he sails for Europe to attend a congress at Vienna on August 29.

New impetus will be given to the great crusade against the "white plague" when Dr. Flick returns from this congress at Vienna. The most modern ideas on the treatment and prevention of consumption will be circulated broadcast over the country as soon as the eminent expert returns.

### Insanity and Consumption.

Accompanying Dr. Flick will be the eminent insanity expert, Dr. J. J. McCarthy, who holds the chair of medical jurisprudence at the University of Pennsylvania, is a member of the investigating staff of the Phipps Institute, and has figured in many important trials as an expert alienist.

### Reduced to Half Already.

Within a comparatively few years, consumption has been reduced 50 per cent in this country, and Dr. Flick and the small army of physicians who are helping him expect that the new methods they have under consideration will wipe it out altogether.

Sanitation is the principal instrument in the new movement that will be launched at Vienna. Dr. Flick will go into the congress with the conviction that consumption can be cured as easily in the crowded tenements of the East Side, New York, as upon the dry plains of the West. He will state this opinion boldly in the congress.

## POSTAL PEACE LIKELY; ARBITRATION IN SIGHT

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tems, regardless of the suffering or inconvenience of the public.

"The wages paid employees are totally insufficient and the rates constitute open and glaring robbery, so that Europe can't understand why the self-asserting American does not rise up and free himself from this extortion."

"The companies have to pay dividends on tens of millions of watered stock and also look after their own pockets, so the public is deceived like sheep, without a blast of protest."

"The present strike emphasizes that the time is ripe for private corporate ownership of public utility to be abolished and their control given into the charge of the National Government."

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## Big Lion Chloroformed At the National "Zoo" To End His Suffering



LARGEST AFRICAN LION IN CAPTIVITY, PUT TO DEATH AT THE ZOO.

## Lobengula Had Pneumonia for Last Six Months.

Lobengula, the largest African lion in captivity, and one of the most perfect specimens of the species ever brought to this country, is dead. He had been a sufferer from chronic pneumonia for the last six months, and on Friday the authorities at the National Zoological Park decided to put an end to his suffering.

### Died in 28 Minutes.

It was no easy task to chloroform the big beast, and a different method was employed than is the usual custom of killing animals that have reached the limit of their usefulness. Fastening ropes to each of his four legs and wrapping his neck and body, Lobengula was tied securely in the center of his cage. He was given three hypodermic injections of morphia, and when the drug began to take effect, a sponge was fastened where he would breathe the

uel Gompers, Jr., F. C. Roberts, W. R. Brockwell, Joe Government Printing Office; Vice President W. W. Beattie, and President Groves.

At a meeting of the Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101, held at the same time, the striking telegraphers were voted the moral and financial support of that organization, and a committee appointed to wait upon the telegraphers and inform them of this action. The report of the committee created great enthusiasm among the striking telegraphers.

The telegraphers' executive committee received the report of Mr. Beattie on the number of union men still remaining at their keys, and although action in regard to this had not been made public, it is stated that these men have been "outlawed" by the union. Mr. Beattie's report claims that out of ninety-four union operators at the Postal, eighty-eight went out; while sixty-three out of seventy-six were out of the Western Union, a number of those remaining in with the latter company being chief operators. The unionists also received about ten non-union recruits from the Western Union. Four union men were reported out at the local Associated Press office.

## NEGRO LAWYER DEAD BY ACUTE INDIGESTION

Louis O. Posey, a colored attorney, was found dead about noon today in the toilet room of the building at 626 F street northwest. Death was due to acute indigestion, from which he had been a sufferer for years.

He was about fifty-six years old and was formerly employed in the War Department. He was a graduate of Howard University.

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